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As a writer, my life is dependent upon a competitive market for books. For the government to help Amazon.com try to eradicate a competitive market seems unfair and truly bad for American culture. No brick and mortar bookstores, when Amazon.com runs them out of business, and then what? No libraries?

PLEASE DO NOT LET THIS HAPPEN.

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